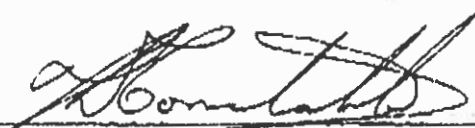


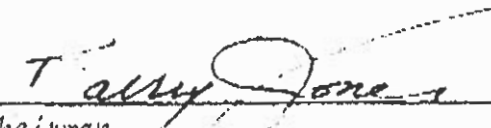
- WHEREAS, Community Schools optimize the use of school facilities, and
- WHEREAS, Community Schools enrich the K-12 program by making the resources of the community more available to the school and vice-versa, and
- WHEREAS, Community Schools provide a delivery system for the activities organized by Recreation, Adult Education, and other agencies, and
- WHEREAS, there is a rising public insistence that all levels of government become more responsive to citizen needs and desires; and
- WHEREAS, there is a limited amount of tax monies and other human and physical resources available to meet public demands for facilities, programs and services, it is recognized that it is economically incumbent on all agencies to work closely together to maximize the effect of current and future programs and facilities, and
- WHEREAS, there is an increasing need for all governmental units and related public service organizations to mobilize their respective resources for the common purpose of improving the quality of community life; and
- WHEREAS, Provincial Legislation recognizes and authorizes local governments, including school districts, to make formal agreements for joint planning and performance of functions; and
- WHEREAS, School District No. 41 has facilities, equipment and staff organized for the purpose of providing education opportunities for the citizens within the district; and
- WHEREAS, the Municipality of Burnaby provides facilities, staff, and certain recreational and service programs for the citizens within the district; and
- WHEREAS, a multitude of other related public and private community organizations provide programs and services for community betterment; and
- WHEREAS, no single, cohesive strategy for the development and utilization of all these relevant community resources has yet been established; and
- WHEREAS, there are great potential social and economic benefits to be derived from further co-operation in facility and program development for the benefit of all citizens through Community School programs at the local neighborhood level.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the undersigned endorse, support, and agree fully to participate in the joint planning, development, and operation of Community School programs within their respective service areas.

Approved this 11th day of January, 1977.



 Mayor
 Corporation of the District of Burnaby



 Chairman
 School District No. 41 (Burnaby)